

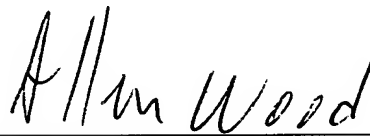
**REMARKS**

The Office Action of September 19, 2006 has been received and its contents carefully considered.

The Office Action provisionally rejects all of the claims of the present application for obviousness-type double patenting over what is claimed in application 10/667,510 by the same inventors, and assigned to the same assignee. A Terminal Disclaimer is attached hereto in response to this provisional rejection, and the \$130 statutory disclaimer fee pursuant to 37 CFR 1.20 (d) is being submitted concurrently.

In the absence of rejections on the prior art, it is respectfully submitted that this application is now in condition for allowance. Reconsideration of the application is therefore respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,



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